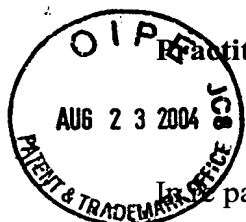


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Attached is a Substitute Declaration for the above-identified application, which lists
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